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(C) We delivered reftel message regarding Hamas to Armenian Ministry of Foreign Affairs Middle East Department Head Artem Aznaurian and Americas Desk Head Lilit Toutkhalian February 122. Aznaurian said the GOAM had no plans to meet with Hamas representatives in the foreseeable future, and he would share reftel points with Minister of Foreign Affairs Vartan Oskanian at the earliest possible opportunity.
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